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To whom it may concern,

I am writing to you on behalf of the residents of Venetian Isles, Viavant, Irish Bayou, Lake Catherine and the Fort Pike vicinity to inform you of how we wish to remain under the state representation of Reed Henderson. He has done an outstanding job as our <u>State Representative for District 103</u>. He and his staff have been a strong voice for the many concerns and issues that exist in rural eastern New Orleans. His office has been very effective in helping us with a number of concerns, attends our neighborhood meetings regularly and always is available to the diverse group of residents that live in his district. It would be a travesty if we got lumped in with the rest of New Orleans East as we know firsthand that other representatives in that area only come around during election time. If need be we could gather a petition of the residents from each community.

We understand fully the decrease in population since the recent Census and its potential affect on redistricting. Please allow us to be represented by Henderson's office so that we can be assured we are recognized with State issues and concerns as we have enjoyed under the current leadership. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at home 504-254-2568 or email me at robbyknecht@gmail.com.

I remain hopoful on behalf of our residents,

Robby W. Kneckt, President

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